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Subject:

FOIA - on Oklahoma earthquakes

This isn't the official version! However, we have received a FOIA from the NPR reporter requesting all e-mails on earthquakes or induced-seismicity in Oklahoma".

David Gillespie is handling the R6 legal angle, release, deliberative, etc. Edwina Rymer will be coordinating the collection. After clearance from the FOIS folks, we will verify with the requester that USGS alerts and copies of publications are not what is wanted.

David's REQUESTED <u>YOUR ASSISTANCE IN PUTTING ANY THING on Oklahoma SEISMICITY FROM NOW (2/5/16)</u>
Onwards IN A SEPARATE FOLDER. (Personally, I suspect vice a versa will work better—whatever keep them separate)

If you have received any e-mails, internal or otherwise from 10/1/11-2/5/16, containing information on Oklahoma earthquakes of any kind, let Edwina know whether any of them are something other than USGS alerts or publically available articles. If you have one of the latter with commentary, please put it in a "deliberative?" Folder.

## **Key points Summarized:**

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- 1. Anything on the NTW seismicity report or end-of-year discussions are deliberative.
- 2. If the e-mail was from another EPA employee, you are NOT responsible for it.
  - **a.** If you think it should be included, check with the sender that they have it. If outside our section, pass their name on to Dave.
- 3. In general do not include any of the following or forwards there-of. Any commentary should be put in a separate folder and held for David.
  - a. USGS alerts or forwards.
  - b. XA distributions
  - c. published articles
- 4. Work through Edwina
  - a. But your initial estimation of deliberative or not is appreciated
- 5. Final decisions are between David, the FOIA folks and XA. If you have a question, ask David.

THANK YOU!

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